

ACTS 11:1-4(NKJV) NOW THE APOSTLES AND BRETHREN WHO WERE IN JUDEA HEARD THAT THE GENTILES HAD ALSO RECEIVED THE WORD OF GOD. 2 AND WHEN PETER CAME UP TO JERUSALEM, THOSE OF THE CIRCUMCISION CONTENDED WITH HIM, 3 SAYING, "YOU WENT IN TO UNCIRCUMCISED MEN AND ATE WITH THEM!" ⁴ BUT PETER EXPLAINED IT TO THEM IN ORDER FROM THE BEGINNING, SAYING:

ACTS 11:5-8(NKJV) ⁵ "I WAS IN THE CITY OF JOPPA PRAYING; AND IN A TRANCE I SAW A VISION, AN OBJECT DESCENDING LIKE A GREAT SHEET, LET DOWN FROM HEAVEN BY FOUR CORNERS; AND IT CAME TO ME. 6 WHEN I OBSERVED IT INTENTLY AND CONSIDERED, I SAW FOUR-FOOTED ANIMALS OF THE EARTH, WILD BEASTS, CREEPING THINGS, AND BIRDS OF THE AIR. ⁷ AND I HEARD A VOICE SAYING TO ME, 'RISE, PETER; KILL AND EAT.' 8 BUT I SAID, 'NOT SO, LORD! FOR NOTHING COMMON OR UNCLEAN HAS AT ANY TIME ENTERED MY MOUTH.'

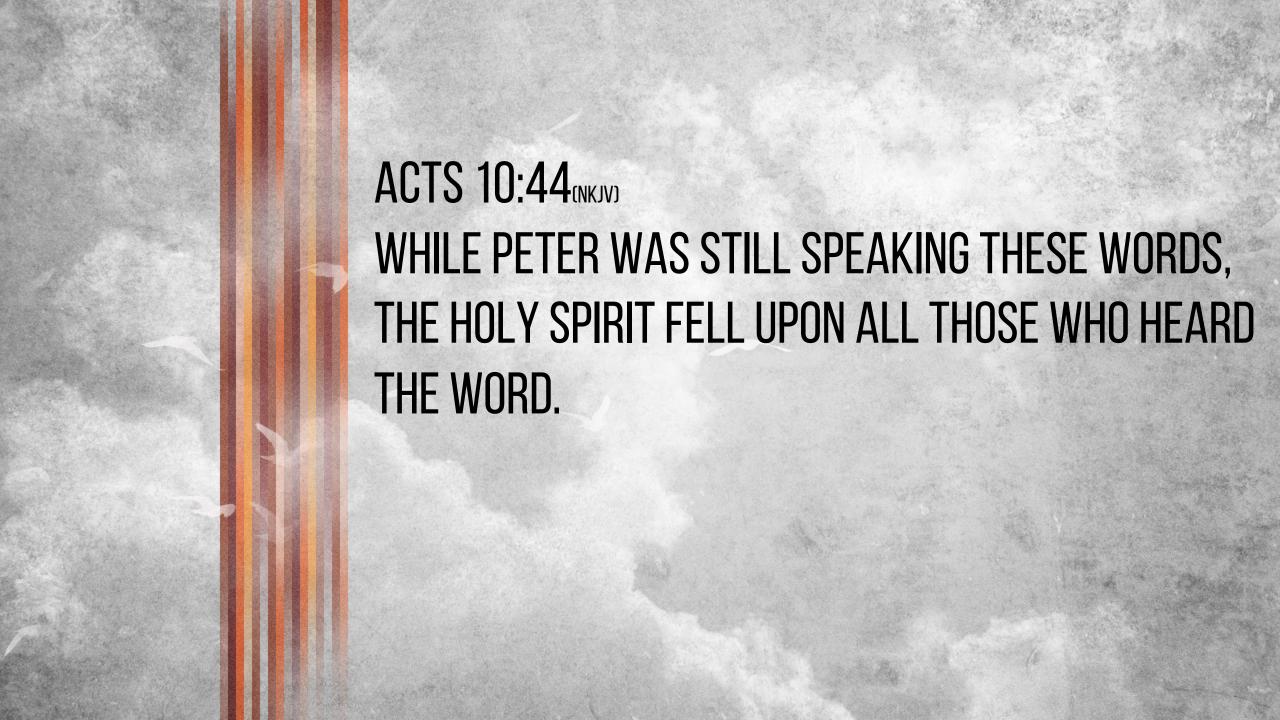
ACTS 11:9-12(NKJV) BUT THE VOICE ANSWERED ME AGAIN FROM HEAVEN, 'WHAT GOD HAS CLEANSED YOU MUST NOT CALL COMMON.' 10 NOW THIS WAS DONE THREE TIMES, AND ALL WERE DRAWN UP AGAIN INTO HEAVEN. 11 AT THAT VERY MOMENT, THREE MEN STOOD BEFORE THE HOUSE WHERE I WAS, HAVING BEEN SENT TO ME FROM CAESAREA. 12 THEN THE SPIRIT TOLD ME TO GO WITH THEM, DOUBTING NOTHING. MOREOVER THESE SIX BRETHREN ACCOMPANIED ME, AND WE ENTERED THE MAN'S HOUSE.

ACTS 11:13-14(NKJV) AND HE TOLD US HOW HE HAD SEEN AN ANGEL STANDING IN HIS HOUSE, WHO SAID TO HIM, 'SEND MEN TO JOPPA, AND CALL FOR SIMON WHOSE SURNAME IS PETER, 14 WHO WILL TELL YOU WORDS BY WHICH YOU AND ALL YOUR HOUSEHOLD WILL BE SAVED.'

ACTS 11:15-17(NKJV) AND AS I BEGAN TO SPEAK, THE HOLY SPIRIT FELL UPON THEM, AS UPON US AT THE BEGINNING. 16 THEN I REMEMBERED THE WORD OF THE LORD, HOW HE SAID, 'JOHN INDEED BAPTIZED WITH WATER, BUT YOU SHALL BE BAPTIZED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT.' 17 IF THEREFORE GOD GAVE THEM THE SAME GIFT AS HE GAVEUS WHEN WE BELIEVED ON THE LORD JESUS CHRIST, WHO WAS I THAT I **COULD WITHSTAND GOD?"**

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ACTS 2:16-17(KJV) BUT THIS IS THAT WHICH WAS SPOKEN BY THE PROPHET JOEL; 17 AND IT SHALL COME TO PASS IN THE LAST DAYS, SAITH GOD, I WILL POUR OUT OF MY SPIRIT UPON ALL FLESH: AND YOUR SONS AND YOUR DAUGHTERS SHALL PROPHESY,

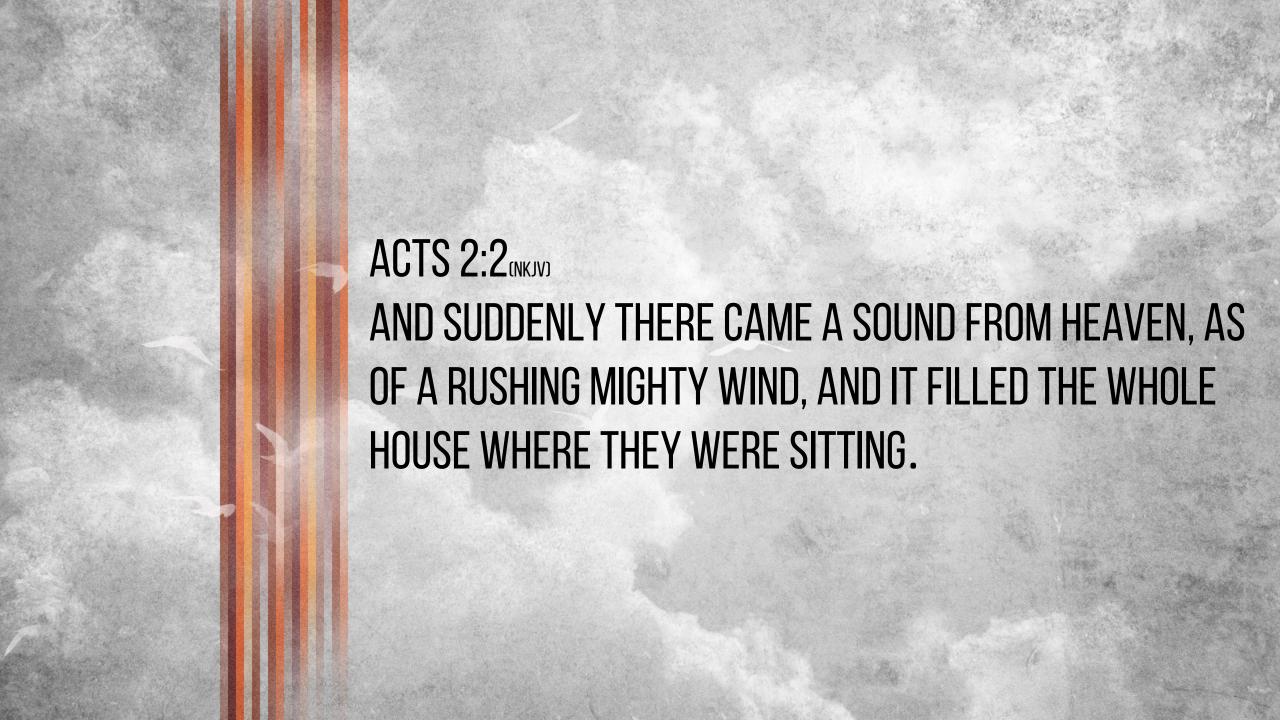


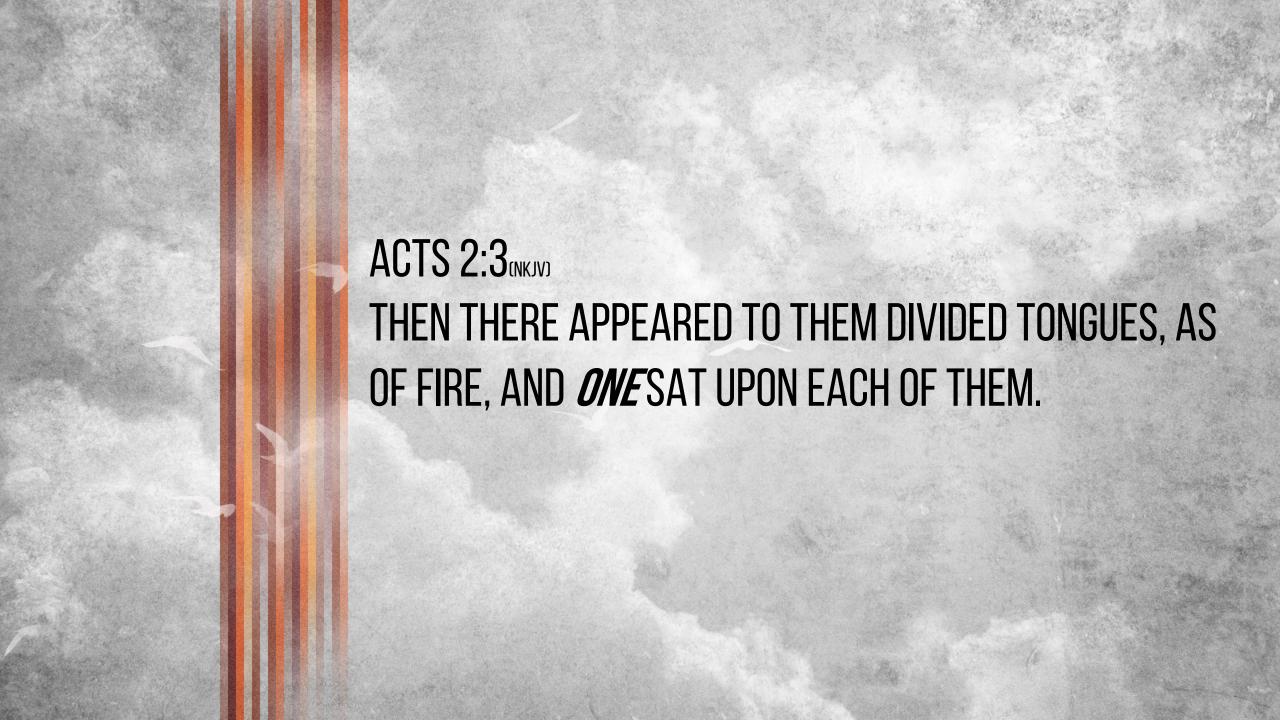
PETER'S ACTS 10 MESSAGE OUTLINE

- 1. JESUS WAS BORN OF A VIRGIN
- 2. JESUS LIVED A SINLESS LIFE
- 3. JESUS' VICARIOUS DEATH
- 4. THE VICTORIOUS RESURRECTION
- 5. JESUS' VISIBLE RETURN

ACTS 2:1-4(KJV) WHEN THE DAY OF PENTECOST HAD FULLY COME, THEY WERE ALL WITH ONE ACCORD IN ONE PLACE. 2 AND SUDDENLY THERE CAME A SOUND FROM HEAVEN, AS OF A RUSHING MIGHTY WIND, AND IT FILLED THE WHOLE HOUSE WHERE THEY WERE SITTING. 3 THEN THERE APPEARED TO THEM DIVIDED TONGUES, AS OF FIRE, AND ONE SAT UPON EACH OF THEM. ⁴ AND THEY WERE ALL FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT AND BEGAN TO SPEAK WITH OTHER TONGUES, AS THE SPIRIT GAVE THEM UTTERANCE.

ACTS 1:8(NKJV) BUT YOU SHALL RECEIVE POWER WHEN THE HOLY SPIRIT HAS COME UPON YOU; AND YOU SHALL BE WITNESSES TO ME IN JERUSALEM, AND IN ALL JUDEA AND SAMARIA, AND TO THE END OF THE EARTH."





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